A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS & SAFETY OF THE CIVIL CITY OF NEW ALBANY, INDIANA, WILL BE HELD IN THE THIRD FLOOR ASSEMBLY ROOM AT THE CITY/COUNTY BUILDING ON TUESDAY, March 6, 2007AT 10:00 A.M.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY OF THE CIVIL CITY OF NEW ALBANY, INDIANA, HELD ITS REGULAR MEETING ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2007 IN THE ASSEMBLY ROOM ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF THE CITY-COUNTY BUILDING.

PRESENT: Anthony B. Toran, President, Chas Hunter, Colonel Mike Mills, Traffic Division Supervisor Officer Joe Lewis, Fire Chief Ron Toran, Deputy Fire Chief Stanley Mason, Street Dept Director Chuck Simons, City Clerk Marcey Wisman, Flood Control Director Ron Granger, Drainage Dept. Director Tom Cannon, Building Commissioner Ron Hartman, Controller Kay Garry, and Animal Shelter Director David Hall.

CALL TO ORDER:

Mr. Toran called the meeting to order at 10:06 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

NEW BUSINESS:

Item #1 - Phillecia McNeary- Obannon re: streetlight East 8th Street and vandalism in the area.

Mrs. McNeary-Obannon addressed the board regarding needing a light on East 8th Street. She informed them that the neighbors have had their cars and homes vandalized and windows broken.

Mr. Toran asked Officer Lewis to look into this and Colonel Mills to up the patrols in the area of Short 8th street off of the north Y.

Item #2 - Eva Corley re: need for a light in the alley between 12th and 13th Street.

Ms. Corley asked for a light in the alley between 12th and 13th and she also asked for a stop sign at Thomas and Bulldog Blvd. because the kids leaving the school are zooming through there and she is afraid someone is going to get hit.

Mr. Toran asked Officer Lewis to look into this issue.

OLD BUSINESS:

Item #1 - Officer Lewis re: Silver and Main Street intersection where railroad use to be.

Officer Lewis stated that he and Mr. Hunter had discussed this issue and he does not believe that a sign will do anything. They believe that the best solution is for the street department to cut the hill down. However, it needs to be looked into first to insure that the railroad vacated that land to the city.

Item #2 - Officer Lewis re: traffic on 8th Street going in yard at 1501 Charlestown Road

Officer Lewis stated that a stop sign is out of the questions but they believe that a guardrail will correct the problem.

Mr. Simons stated that they have guardrail down at the street department that they can put up.

Mr. Toran asked where we are on the Klerner Lane deal.

Mr. Simons stated that they have about a half day of painting to finish it up. He said they have been delayed because of the weather.

Mr. Toran asked about installing the rumble strips.

Mr. Simons stated that he didn't realize that they were going with the rumble strips but that they can install those after they are purchased.

Mr. Hunter stated that he has some pretty good prices on those.

Mr. Simons stated that he would get with Mr. Hunter and take care of this.

COMMUNICATIONS - CITY OFFICIALS:

Chuck Simons has a request from Kent Drive to correct the speed limit on the street because one side of the street says 30 mph and the other says 25 mph.

Mr. Hunter moved to make is a 25 mph speed limit, Mr. Toran second, all voted in favor.

COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLIC:

BIDS:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Mr. Hunter moved to approve the February 27 meeting minutes, Mr. Toran second, all voted in favor.

ADJOURN:

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 10:19 a.m.